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GASOLINE EXPLOSION WRECKS DRIVE-IN

Jaycees To Observe 2nd Birthday

While the Junior Chamber of Commerce nationally observes its forty-second anniversary the Murray Jaycees celebrate their second. It was just two years ago through the untiring efforts of the Paducah club that Murray was added to the list of clubs in Kentucky. Among the young men in those first organizational meetings were Maurice Crass, Jr., Meritt Manning, Don Smith, Bill Boyd and Q. B. Boone, Jr.

The organization was officially in operation when the state officers presented them with their charter at a banquet in March 1955 with the minimum of twelve members. Today the membership has increased to 52. The local club had an outstanding first year for a new club under the able leadership of Maurice Crass, Jr., president.

Ed Fenton took over the helm as president the second year with the following serving as his officers: Harold Beaman, vice president; John Sammons, secretary; Dr. Rupert Stivers, treasurer; William M. Boyd, treasurer; Robert Hopkins, Z. C. Enix, James Klapp, Jack Ward, Dr. William L. Pogue and Maurice Crass, Jr.

Under President Fenton's leadership the club has worked on some 38 projects. Some of them were small but the majority of them took a great deal of time and work. The committee chairman and committee members burned a lot of midnight oil formulating the plans that made projects like the State Teenage Roadie go over without a single mix-up.

Groups Plan For State Convention

The Delta Mu Chapter of the Tau Phi Lambda Sorority and the Junior Miss Club held a joint meeting Saturday afternoon at the W.O.W. hall and worked out plans for participation in the Woodmen Circle State Convention in Bowling Green April 11-13.

Norma Dean Edwards, Patricia Cole, Ann Charlton and Norma Jean Curd will present the Murray Junior Grove No. 9 in the Ritualistic Demonstration to be given the second day of the convention by the Junior organizations of the state.

The Sorority Drill team composed of Rose Dyer, Lorna Alexander, Martha Maupin, Shirley Kilgore, Loretta Culver, Glenda Culver, Georgia Lou Edwards and Peggy Outland will officiate in the Memorial Ceremony on the opening evening.

The entire group is scheduled to give a special drill the second evening, following the banquet. Directing the activities is Mrs. Golda McKee Curd, state manager of the Woodmen Circle.

PONY BACKS

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Police responding to a complaint that "ghost riders" were racing about Amherst Central High School's football field, found two ridersless horses sprinting about in the darkness. They had escaped from a nearby private corral.

Weather Report

By UNITED PRESS
Southwest Kentucky Heavy showers and thunderstorms, with mild weather today. High in the upper 60s. Showers ending late night, and turning much colder. Low tonight 25 to 30. Wednesday partly cloudy and colder with a high in the upper 20s.

Some 5:30 a.m. temperatures: Louisville 59, Bowling Green 56, Lexington 55, Paducah 60, Covington 55, London 49, and Hopkinsville 58.

Evansville, Ind., 57.

GAS TRUCK DRIVER JUST BARELY ESCAPED



DRIVER FRANK JENNINGS (left) just in time as his propane gas truck explodes in flames in Philadelphia. Back of his clothing is singed. The flames got their start from a smoldering gasoline tank hose line. Tank truck was loaded with 3,000 gallons of propane. (International Soundphoto)

Elvis Haircuts Must Go, Order

KEARNEY, Neb., Jan. 22 (AP)—Male students at Kearney High School have been given until next Monday to shear their Elvis Presley and "ducktail" hairdos or face immediate dismissal.

Principal Louis Ninger delivered the ultimatum Monday at a special meeting of the male student body.

Ninger said he had nothing against the heavy sideburns and flowing hair styles as such. However, he said they have become associated with acts of "hooliganism."

Ninger's action followed the theft of a March of Dimes container from a Pleasanton, Neb., tavern last Saturday by six Kearney teenagers.

The principal said the six have been dismissed and "will stay dismissed."

"I will not tolerate any more foolishness either in or out of school," he said. "If I've got to be responsible for your actions then I'm going to be your daddy."

Murray Hospital

Monday's complete record follows:

Census 32
Adult Beds 60
Emergency Beds 28
Patients Admitted 3
Patients Dismissed 5
New Citizens 0

Patients admitted from 4:30 P.M. Friday to Monday 2:30 P.M.

Mrs. Lloyd C. Sills and baby boy, Hardin, Mrs. Lawrence Overby, Rt. 2, Murray; Mrs. Curtis Darnell, Rt. 6, Benton; Mrs. Wm. W. Ferguson and baby boy, Swann, Dorn, Murray; Herman Smith, Rt. 2, Kirksey; Mrs. Dolores Lamm, 1194 Olive, Murray; Miss Paulette Ross, Rt. 6, Murray; Mrs. Raymond Melton, S. 10th Ext. 421, Murray; rs. Hilson Black, Rt. 4, Mayfield; Mrs. Harvey Elmer Mathis, Benton; Mrs. Gerald W. Carter and baby girl, Sedalia, Henry Erwin, 1301 W. Poplar, Murray; Mrs. Henry Fulton, 1001 Main St., Murray; Master Boyd Allen, Barrish, Rt. 7, Benton; Irvin Wallace, Rt. 3, Cadiz; Guy Counts, Rt. 5, Murray; Mrs. Sarah Thompson, 513 Greenhill Drive, Benton.

FAMILIAR PLAIN

LITCHFIELD, Me.—John Thibodeau, 11, told police who found him unharmed after 14 hours in dense Maine woods that he tumbled into a pond and didn't want to go home because his pants were wet.

CORRECTION

Mrs. Jean Weeks is a patient at Vanderbilt Hospital in Nashville, not Beardsley Hospital in St. Louis as reported. Her room number is 3203.

Huge Fire Brought Under Control In Chicago Disaster

By ED SAINSBURY
United Press Staff Correspondent

CHICAGO, Jan. 22 (AP)—A multi-million-dollar fire, one of Chicago's worst in 23 years, destroyed a grain elevator and threatened to blow up another huge granary before it was brought under control today.

Nearly half of the city's fire fighting forces, battling the spectacular blaze, which raged out of control on Chicago's river front for about five hours in rainy weather.

Northeasterly wind gusts of up to 35 miles per hour sent flames licking 250 feet into the air and whipped sparks over a 10-block area.

The flames were visible for 15 miles and attracted about 10,000 spectators to the scene on the city's southeast side.

One of the onlookers, Floyd Traynam, 61, a Universal News Reel cameraman, collapsed with an apparent heart attack and was dead on arrival at South Chicago Hospital.

There were no reports of injuries.

The blaze, of unknown cause, was spotted by watchman William Bullock at about 10 p.m. EST, Monday night. He ran from the elevator, owned by the Continental Grain Co., and seconds later a mass of flames leaped from the top of the building.

Damage estimates varied. Ray J. Daley acting fire marshal, said the loss would amount to "at least \$2 million and probably more."

Firemen rushed about 90 pieces of equipment, 540 men and two fire boats to the scene in an effort to contain the flames. It was the heaviest concentration of fire fighters and equipment since the stockyards fire in 1934.

The Standings

County	Overall	AW	L	W	L
Lynn Grove	8	0	11	4	
New Concord	5	1	11	4	
Almo	2	3	3	12	
Kirksey	3	4	10	8	
M.T.S.	3	5	5	11	
Hazel	0	7	0	16	

Tight Money Means Not Only It Is Hard To Get, But Also Hard To Borrow; Interest High

By ROBERT SHORTAL
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK (AP)—Tight money is becoming one of the facts of life for more and more Americans—and it appears it is going to get tighter.

What is meant by "tight" money? That it's hard to get? That always was true, but this particular phrase so widely used now means that it's getting harder to borrow and particularly that interest rates on loans are getting steeper.

Why is it tight? Simply because there are more demands for loans than there is capital to go around—and the policy of

the Federal Reserve, backed by the Eisenhower administration, is to try to hold borrowing down lest it lead to runaway inflation.

There are some "paradoxes" in this tight money situation. The fact is that some loans are hard to get, others were never easier. The housing industry complains it is hit hard while consumers can get quick credit for everything from dental work to vacations.

Then, too, the federal government—while warning against inflation—has just presented a budget calling for spending some \$71 billion. State and local governments will bring the overall

TOBACCO REPORT

The average tobacco sales for the Murray floors named yesterday to \$36.75, an increase of about four dollars since Friday's sales.

The rise was due to warmer weather which replaced last week's cold waves; however heavy rain today is likely to interfere with the delivery this week.

A total of 407,777 pounds was delivered yesterday according to an official of the Western Dark Fired Tobacco Association.

Lee, who is assistant superintendent of the United Holiness churches of America, supported his children's boycott after seeing a newspaper picture of a gym class in which a girl was being lying on the floor with her instructor's hands on her ankle and hip.

Lee said he felt that such practices "unconsciously instill in teenage girls the idea that a boy could be the same thing." He said he would not bicker with parents who allowed their children to take part in gym classes, clad only in the customary brief attire.

"But I want them to respect my children and the children of our belief in the stand we take against immoral dress and unbecoming positions," he added.

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He also said other ministers have written letters of protest against the physical education requirement to Gov. William G. Stratton and members of the state Legislature.

GOP Chief Is Named

By RAYMOND LAHR
United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP)—H. Meade Alcorn Jr. of Connecticut today was elected Republican national chairman.

Alcorn was elected unanimously, without contest, by the GOP National Committee after he was given the personal endorsement of President Eisenhower.

He succeeds Leonard W. Hall, who is retiring Feb. 1 after almost four years as chief of the party organization.

Alcorn, 49, a year-old former speaker of the Connecticut Assembly and onetime district attorney for Hartford County, was Hall's second-in-command last year for handling arrangements for the GOP national convention.

His election as GOP national chairman came as no surprise.

The President's support for Alcorn was reported to a GOP National Committee meeting by former Sen. Harry Darby, Kansas national committeeman. Darby headed an eight-man subcommittee which conferred with Mr. Eisenhower earlier this morning.

"He made it clear to us that he would like Meade Alcorn to be chairman," Darby said.

"Any latent opposition to the Alcorn election vanished at once and representatives of various states scrambled for recognition to second the nomination made by Darby."

Finally, Al Judson Morhouse of New York moved that the nominations be closed and a unanimous vote cast for Alcorn. His motion was given a shout of approval.

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Quarterly Meeting Blood River Association Set

The quarterly meeting of Blood River Baptist Association W.M.U. will be held at the First Baptist church in Murray, Thursday, January 24, at 10:00 a.m.

Mrs. John T. Dougherty, Association superintendent will preside.

The devotional will be given by Dr. Chiles.

The theme for the day will be "Open Eyes to the World".

The speaker for the day will be Mrs. Ed Galloway, former missionary to China.

The nursery will be open where children will be cared for during the meeting.

A basket dinner will be served.

Minister Seeks To Rally Clergymen

URBANA, Ill., Jan. 22 (AP)—A minister sought to rally fellow clergymen to his cause today following the permanent suspension of classes on the ground that the gym courses foster "immoral dress and unbecoming positions."

Over Lee supported his two youngsters when they refused to attend required physical education classes on the ground that the gym courses foster "immoral dress and unbecoming positions."

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Seek To Have Mercy Killing Legalized

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 22 (AP)—The New Jersey Medical Society was expected to present to the state Legislature today a resolution expressing its views on a petition to legalize mercy killing.

Richard Nevins, executive director of the organization's board of trustees, adopted the resolution Jan. 13 on the euthanasia issue but withheld its release until today so each trustee could read and approve the finished draft.

The Medical Society was expected to go on record against the petition signed by 166 New Jersey physicians and introduced into the Legislature last week.

The petition, said to have been prepared by the Euthanasia Society of New York headed by John Howard Lathrop of Brooklyn, N. Y., urged that "voluntary euthanasia should be permitted by law—brought out into the open and safeguarded against abuse, rather than as at present practiced illegally, surreptitiously and without regulation."

It suggested that mercy killing be authorized by a court of record after it is requested by a sufferer, and after investigation of the case by a court-appointed committee.

Under such a law a person suffering from an incurable disease such as cancer would first petition for his own death. A physician would then submit an affidavit to the validity of the petition and to the patient's condition then a court order would be sought to authorize ending the patient's life to stop his suffering.

Proponents of such a law argue that the aged and victims of incurable diseases, who face long periods of agony, sometimes attempt crude methods of suicide. Some are released from the suffering secretly by relatives or doctors who are willing to stand trial for murder.

There was a similar move to legalize mercy killing in New Jersey seven years ago. It was unsuccessful.

Rev. Lyles To Represent District

Three local area church leaders will represent the district of the First Methodist church, Jan. 29-30 as representatives of the district of the Methodist church to help lay plans for a long range program to strengthen Methodist churches in this section.

W. E. Mische, superintendent of the district, P. T. Lyles of the First Methodist church, and W. O. Immen, active Methodist layman, will attend as delegates for this district.

They will meet with representatives of the Louisville areas 21 other districts to officially launch a four year local church emphasis program. The area includes all of Kentucky and western Tennessee.

Strengthening the nation's 45,000 Methodist churches was selected by the denomination's general conference last May as one of two major goals of the 1956-60 period. Methodist churches throughout the area in recent years have been conducting self-study meetings to discover weaknesses, setting new goals, and mapping plans for a program to better meet the needs of its membership and community.

Delegates attending the Louisville meeting will make plans for an every member canvass scheduled for May when Methodists will call on their fellow church members to tell them where their church needs improving and how each person can contribute time, talent and money to this end.

By the first of June each church is expected to have its revitalization program underway. Stewardship and the canvass will be highlights of the 1957 program. A year from now local church leaders will evaluate their progress and adapt the program to meet new needs. The cycle will continue officially for four years.

Lyon Forward Gets 54 Points From Downed Lynn Grove

The Lynn County Lyons defeated visiting Lynn Grove, 50-73, to avenge an earlier loss to the Callaway Countians.

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Kirksey High To Hold Bake Sale

The Kirksey High School senior and freshman Home Economics girls will hold a bake sale on Saturday, January 26 in front of Belk-Settle Department Store.

The time will be from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The purpose of the sale is to raise money for the new kitchen.

Aubrey Steely In Hospital Suffering From Severe Burns

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Steely escaped almost certain death early this morning when a gasolene explosion wrecked their place of business, The Dairy Mart, located just south of Johnson's Grocery.

According to Fire Chief Flavil Robertson the accident occurred at 2:25 this morning.

Chief Robertson said that Mr. and Mrs. Steely were cleaning the walls of their restaurant with gasoline after the restaurant had closed. After cleaning the walls,

they started outside with Mrs. Steely going first.

Robertson said that as Mrs. Steely got to the back door, she struck a match to light a cigarette, and apparently ignited the gasoline fumes which were heavy inside the restaurant.

An immediate explosion resulted which catapulted Mr. Steely out the back door. The explosion completely wrecked the restaurant.

Plate glass was blown over a wide area and many small objects inside were thrown outside for some distance.

The water heater was blown over on its side and all cooking and refrigeration equipment was damaged.

The restaurant caught fire also but it was extinguished by the Murray Fire Department.

Mr. Steely was burned about the face and body and was placed in the Murray Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Steely was not injured.

The explosion was caused by fumes from gasoline and was not a natural gas explosion. Fire Chief Robertson issued a warning today to residents, not to use gasoline for any cleaning purpose. The fumes from gasoline are extremely dangerous, he said.

Just a spark will set off a severe explosion, he continued, which has great force.

He also warned that gasoline was not to be used for cleaning walls. If anyone insists on using gasoline, he said, they should take every precaution against sparks and excellent ventilation should be available.

The Dairy Mart was a drive-in restaurant serving short orders, ice cream, etc. The former owners expanded the drive-in so that diners could eat inside if they wished.

A large expanse of plate glass covered the East and South side of the restaurant, all of which was blown completely out. Some of the glass was blown across the highway.

The restaurant is a total loss. Chief Robertson said that the booster tank on the truck was used to extinguish the blaze.

Revival To Begin

A revival will begin at the Chestnut St. Tabernacle on Wednesday night, January 23 with Rev. and Mrs. Cleo Chambers, the district young people's presidents, as the evangelists.

There will be special singing nightly. Rev. C. L. Williams, the pastor, invites the public to hear these young people. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m.

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TUESDAY — JANUARY 22, 1957

NEW DAY DAWNS

With the landing of three AAF B-52 planes at Marsh Field, California, after a successful non-stop flight around the world, a new day dawned so far as air transportation is concerned, also so far as waging war is concerned.

Whatever doubts there may have been as to our capacity for delivering atomic or hydrogen bombs to Russia, Siberia, or any other point on the globe has been removed, for if the air force can keep three B-52s in the air for a trip all the way around the world it can do the same with 3,000 bombers.

There has been a great deal of speculation on the percentage of planes starting out on an inter-continental bombing mission we could expect to return, and if this week's test flight can be relied upon, the mortality rate would not be too high.

Five planes started out on the "round-the-world mission." One was forced down in Labrador after a flight across the North American continent. One landed in England where it remained, but that was planned. The other three landed safely in California. Three out of four of the big planes made the flight without incident.

It is a military secret as to how many times the bombers were refueled while in the air, also the points of rendezvous with air-tankers, but it is no secret that each time each plane was refueled it took on more gasoline than could be transported in three railroad tank cars.

We are justified in feeling proud of the type of genius it takes to provide us with these long-range bombers. It makes one shudder to consider the destruction that can be wrought with weapons of this sort, but at the same time it makes us feel the further we go in their development the greater are our hopes for world peace.

It may be significant that the air force staged this unprecedented flight while Congress is considering the largest peace-time budget in history with something like .63 out of every dollar being allotted to defense.

College Basketball Ratings

NEW YORK — The United Press college basketball ratings (with first-place votes and worst lost records through Jan. 19 in parentheses):

Team	Points
1. N. Carolina (24) (15-0)	333
2. Kansas (8) (12-1)	294
3. Kentucky (1) (12-3)	290
4. Iowa State (11-2)	198
5. S. Methodist (14-2)	164
6. Louisville (7) (11-2)	161
7. UCLA (13-1)	151
8. Illinois (9-2)	98
9. Seattle (18-2)	68
10. Ohio State (9-3)	64
Second 10 — 11. Bradley, 58;	
12. California, 33; 13. Canisius,	
30; 14. Wake Forest, 29; 15. Vander-	
bilt, 14; 16. Brigham Young,	
11; 17. Duke, 8; 18 (tie), Tulane,	
Oklahoma A&M and St. Louis,	
3 each	
Others — Utah, Washington,	
Syracuse and Oklahoma City U.,	
3 each; West Virginia, 2; Du-	
quesne and Princeton, 1 each.	

Stan Musial Contract Set To Sign

By UNITED PRESS
There's a sentimental story behind the St. Louis Cardinals' contract Stan Musial is all set to sign for about \$75,000 within a week.

Musial and General Manager Frank Lane already have agreed to terms for the 1957 and Stan The Man again will be the National League's highest salaried player at approximately \$75,000. He drew a base pay of \$75,000 last year plus \$5,000 because the Cardinals attracted more than a million fans.

Although Musial, who batted .310 last year and led the league with 109 runs, batted in, has played the new terms, he hasn't officially signed his contract yet.

Lane Explains Delay

Lane has been criticized for the delay in signing Musial but he explained Monday it was because of the absence on vacation of club secretary Mary Murphy.

"Miss Murphy has officiated at all 15 of Musial's contract signings and we would not think of closing with Stan without her present," Lane said in a telegram to Sports Editor J. Roy Stockton of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The Brooklyn Dodgers corralled four pitchers at a clip today when they announced Roger Craig, Don Bessent, Ed Roebuck and Don Elston had agreed to terms.

With Clem Labine slated for starting duty, Bessent, who had a 4-3 record last season but saved numerous other games in the bullpen, Craig, the string-bean right-hander, had a 12-11 state after getting off to a jack-rabbit start.

Roebuck was 5-4 last year and Elston 7-9 at St. Paul in the American Association.

Detroit Leads League
Detroit leads the American League pen-and-ink race with 29 players signed up to now. The Tigers signed two young pitchers today in Charles Daniel and Don Lee. Daniel had a 15-12 record last season.

First basemen Ron Jackson and Jim Marshall returned their signed contracts to the White Sox but 20-game winner Billy Pierce asked for a little more time to "think over" the club's latest offer.

Tarheels Now On Top In UP Ratings

NEW YORK — North Carolina's "Brooklyn Tarheels" who extended their winning streak to 15 while their three leading rivals for national college basketball honors were upset, broke Kansas' domination of the United Press ratings today.

Iowa State's Frank 39-37 victory over Kansas last Monday night was the key factor in breaking up the alignment of the top four teams for the first time in six weeks. The triumph jumped Iowa State from eighth to fourth place and knocked down to second after it had led

and lost three at Augusta.

Milwaukee announced the signing of right-handed pitcher, Bob Trowbridge and Richard Grabowski while the Red Sox signed pitcher Bert Thiel, up from Danville of the Texas League where he had an 18-11 record last season.

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the ratings from the start of the season.

In this week's only other major change among the leaders, Ohio State moved into the top 10 group, replacing Vanderbilt.

North Carolina, most of whose players come from near Coach Frank McGuire's native Brooklyn, attracted 24 first-place votes from the 35 outstanding coaches who comprise the United Press Rating Board. The Tarheels' total of 333 points topped Kansas' by 39. The Jayhawks (12-1) were the No. 1 choice of eight coaches while third-ranked Kentucky (12-3) had one first-place vote and sixth-ranked Louisville (11-2) had two.

Besides Kansas, the leading teams boated last week were Kentucky and Southern Methodist. Kentucky clung to third place, despite the setback by Tulane, but SMU (14-2) dropped one notch to fifth place after its loss to Texas.

The coaches, basing their ratings on games played through Saturday night, Jan. 19, ranked Louisville sixth, followed in order by UCLA (13-1), Kansas (9-2), Seattle (16-2) and Ohio State (9-3). Ohio State moved up from 15th place.

Bradley moved up three notches to head the second 10 group, followed in order by California, Canisius, Wake Forest, Vanderbilt, Brigham Young and Duke. There was a three-team tie for

the 18th place among Tulane, Oklahoma A&M, and St. Louis.

Utah, Washington, Syracuse, Oklahoma City University, West Virginia, Duquesne and Princeton were the only other teams to receive votes this week.

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10 Years Ago This Week

Ledger and Times File

Murray tobacco officials stated yesterday that the seven early sales on the five local floors moved a total of 2,854,625 pounds of dark-fired leaf. Overall average for all floors was set at \$25.14.

Henry Adams of the Murray Adams Brownbilt Shoe Store was one of 300 shoe retailers affiliated with the Brown Shoe Company who met in St. Louis, Mo., for their annual convention during the week of January 13.

Frank Lancaster, Varsity Theatre manager, has announced that the Capitol Theatre, which has been closed for several weeks for repairs will open tomorrow.

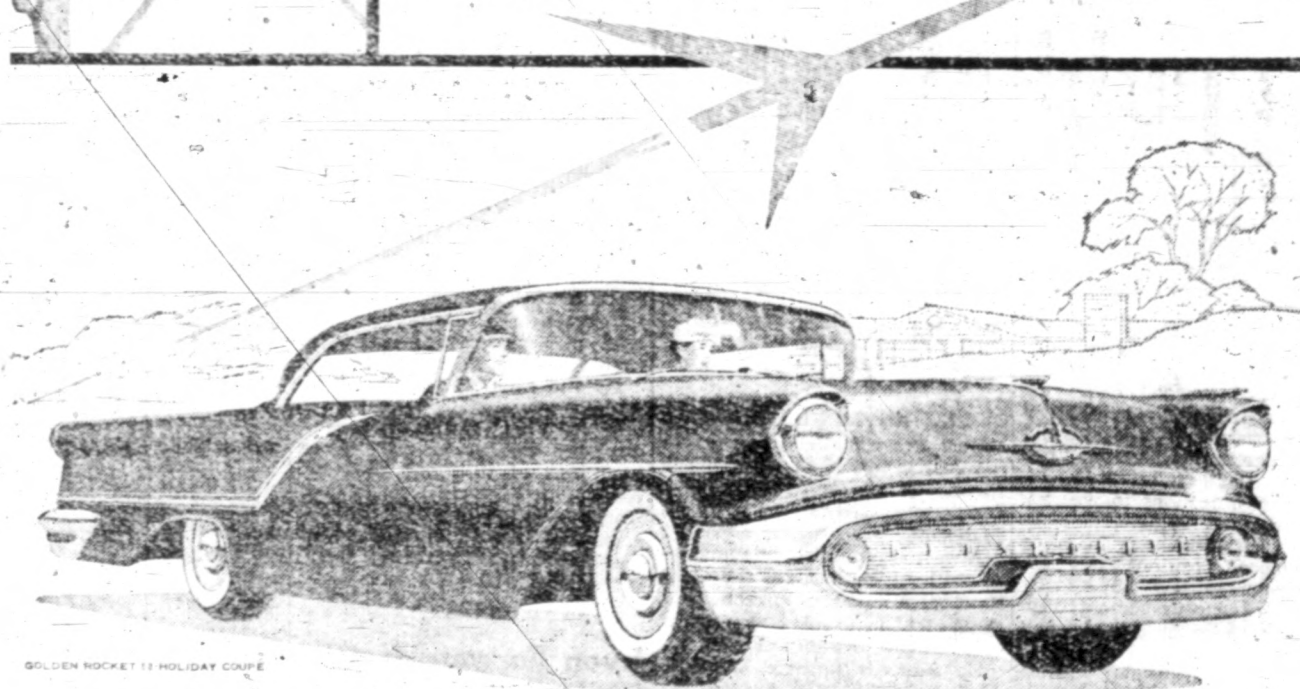
Falling in love at first sight is one good way of assuring a successful marriage is the opinion of Mr. and Mrs. Quiller Knight, who celebrated their Silver Wedding Anniversary with a party in their home, 3422 W. Marquette Road, Chicago, Ill., on New Year's Eve.

They were married January 1, 1923, at Mrs. Dula P. Parks Knight's home in Lynn Grove and a few days later moved to Chicago.

About 80 relatives and friends gathered at the Knight home New Year's Eve to celebrate the occasion. The Rev. Stockton M. Swaney, pastor of the Chicago Lawn Methodist Church, of which the couple are members, performed a ceremony at midnight in which the couple renewed their vows. At this ceremony they were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Cloy Butterworth, old friends from Lynn Grove. A New Year's supper was served by their daughter and her friends.

Mrs. Harold Lundson of Essex, Mo., has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. B. Scruggs, who suffered a heart attack on January 6.

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Great Salt Lake Is A Busy Place

By RICHARD B. LANNEY
United Press Staff Correspondent

SALT LAKE CITY — The Great Salt Lake, is very much a busy place.

And it's getting "livelier" each year as the multi-million dollar business of extracting various minerals, mainly salt, from its briny waters continues to expand at a rapid rate.

The lake, which covered the entire northwest section of Utah plus parts of Idaho and Nevada in prehistoric times, is called a "dead sea" because only small organisms—like a brine shrimp—survive in the highly salty water.

But this fact is responsible for a lucrative tourist business that has grown up around the lake. For the heavy salt concentration makes it impossible to do anything but float in the water, many a weary traveler takes a dip in the saline waters to put to rest the lake's slogan—"You can't sink."

Minerals extracted from the Great Salt Lake, besides common table salt, include sodium sulfate or Glauber's Salts, magnesium chloride, potassium chloride and calcium sulfate.

Production of salt by evaporation of lake waters has risen 54 per cent from 116,694 tons in 1950 to 180,000 tons in 1955.

The Utah Bureau of Business and Economic Research estimates

that this production will more than double in the next four years because of expansion of present salt-producing facilities and construction of a new plant that alone will produce up to 200,000 tons of salt a year.

The new plant, built by Chemical Salt Production, will go into operation in 1959.

It is estimated that the northern Utah lake can yield enough salt to supply the total industrial and domestic requirements of the United States for 200 to 240 years.

The sodium sulfate in the water is used in the manufacture of paper, glass, in synthetic detergents as a bulking agent, and in the smelting of copper-nickel ore.

The main use of the potassium chloride in the water is as a fertilizer, but it also can be used in conjunction with the magnesium chloride to produce valuable magnesium metal.

Strange tales have grown up about the lake. Only 65 years ago newspapers reported "eyewitness" accounts of herds of whales and sea monsters in it.

A tribe of fierce Indians also reportedly inhabited the islands in the lake. And a giant whirlpool, thought to be the lake's outlet, threatened to suck boats through underground waterways into the Pacific Ocean.

But the facts about the lake—its amazing buoyancy and salt and mineral productivity—are even more startling than such myths about it.

SHORT TERM OFFICE
PONTIAC, Mich. — After only 13 days on the job, Leo F. Coyle, 27, resigned as Oakland County's traffic probation officer, it was announced today. Coyle resigned when it was discovered his driver's license had been suspended for 80 days because of five traffic tickets.

Robert Q. Lewis' replacement on his CBS program this week is comedian Jonny Carson. Lewis took off for a quick week in Paris.

Jersey Climate Not Going Tropical

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. —

Two Rutgers University meteorologists have chilled hopes of New Jerseyites that climate changes on the North American continent eventually might transform the state into a tropic paradise.

A. Vaughn Havens and W. E. Marlatt said a continuing study of state-wide weather records fails

to bear out predictions of weather prophets that what with the climate supposedly growing warmer yearly, the Garden State may be on its way to adding palms and frangipani to the landscape.

In fact, reported Havens and Marlatt, New Jersey's climate actually may be taking a slight turn for the cooler.

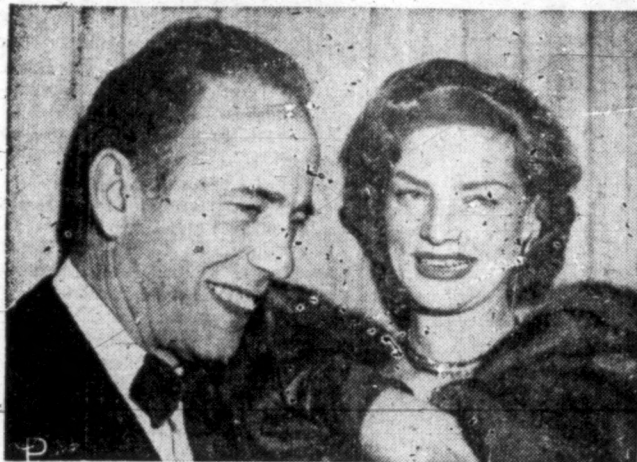
For evidence, they cited records for the first half of 1956 showing an average temperature of a chill 47 degrees, one degree lower than the 1955 period, six inches more last year and half-an-inch above the 80-year average.

As for the annual snowfall, Havens and Marlatt say there will be a big market in New Jersey for galoshes and cold remedies for a long time to come.

SAFETY

BAINBRIDGE, N. Y. — Nelson Lord, 18, sent his driver's license to the state commissioner of motor vehicles following an accident. "I'm through with driving. I'm going into the Army where I'll be safe," he wrote.

BEFORE RAVAGES OF CANCER



SCREEN "TOUGH GUY" Humphrey Bogart, who died in Hollywood at 56, is shown with wife Lauren Bacall before throat cancer struck him down. (International)

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Copy Of Foster's Melodeon Is Made

MIAMI, Fla. — A Miami accountant who goes for do-it-yourself projects has built a replica of the melodeon on which Stephen Foster was believed to have composed some of his most famous songs.

J. Robert Haire, who did some piano-tuning before becoming an accountant, decided on the project after he read that the original Foster melodeon had been donated to the University of Pittsburgh's museum.

That left the Stephen Foster memorial at White Springs, Fla., on the famous Suwannee River, without a melodeon.

"I thought they should at least have a replica of the instrument," Haire said.

Melodeons are pint-sized reed organs which still are in use in scattered areas throughout the country. They are portable, stand on short legs and can be carried around on the end of a strap.

Haire said he saw a newspaper photograph of the melodeon, and, after obtaining the necessary permit and specifications from Pittsburgh, he began work.

His initial step was to buy a second hand melodeon from a pawn shop for \$85. Stripping off the keyboard and ripping out its innards, Haire began to build the replica "almost from scratch."

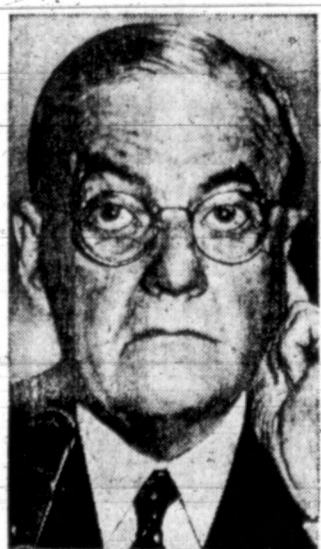
"I wanted it to be an exact replica," he said.

When he finished the instrument, it was exact, even to a scratch on the finish and the bellows which Foster had apparently patched with tape.

When he finished the intricate job, Haire took the 27-inch high instrument and transported it personally to the Foster memorial.

But before he did so, he made a photograph of the instrument for his living room. He said he wanted to have proof that he could "do it myself."

'Most Serious'



SECRETARY OF STATE John Foster Dulles presented this solemn mien as he testified before the joint meeting of the Senate foreign relations and armed services committees in Washington, where he said the Communist threat in the Middle East is the "most serious" in 10 years. (International)

Rave reviews from the auto critics!

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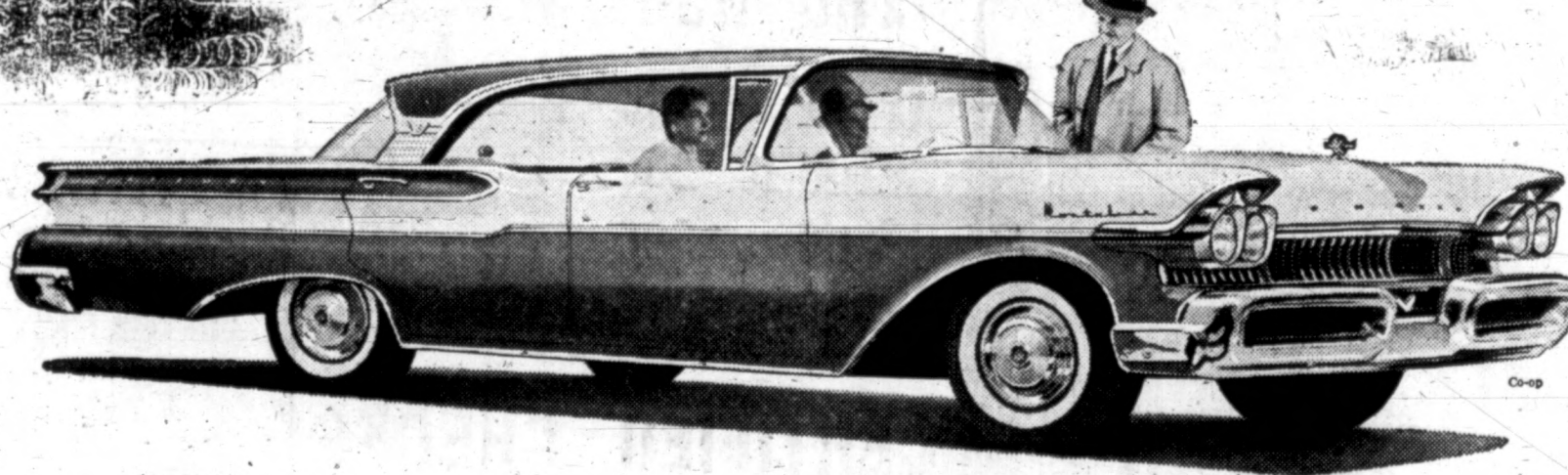
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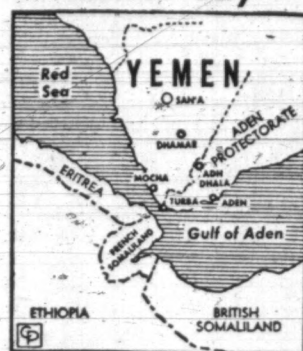
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According to the Yemen

legation in Bonn, West Germany, three bombers have been bagged and 15 tanks destroyed in a battle with attacking British forces in the small Red Sea Arab Kingdom.

It also was charged that 173 Yemenites have been killed. The attack was launched across the border from Aden, a British protectorate, it was said, and the British are trying to occupy the oil-rich border area.



Today I have filed as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Calloway County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election, May 28, 1957. Most of you already know me quite well; however, it is best that I give you some of my family history.

I am Woodrow Rickman, the son of Mr. Edd and Lucy Rickman, and was born 43 years ago and raised on a farm in the southwest section of Calloway County, near South Pleasant Grove. My boyhood days were spent on the farm and I attended school at the old Paschall Schoolhouse. At 30 years of age I joined the TVA reservoir-clearing group as a laborer and then was promoted as a labor foreman to direct the work of about 25 to 30 workmen.

At the end of the work, I then entered business as a brick and concrete block mason where I have been employed ever since, both as contractor and employee.

All my life I have wanted to engage in the business of law enforcement of Calloway County and now that I am determined what should be best for my family and the people of this county, I am asking your support in this greatest endeavor of my life.

First and most of all, I want you the people to know that I will do everything humanly possible to make you an honest and fearless Calloway County Sheriff. That means that I want to be especially thoughtful in the proper policing of the county affairs, be human and humble in my service work to those less fortunate, to help the downfallen, and to lift up the children that should need or ask my guidance.

Twenty years of experience as a member of the administrative boards of my church should have properly equipped me with the spiritual guidance to fulfill all of the requirements of the office of Sheriff. My work as a laborer and a supervisor should have equipped me with an understanding of how to get along with people, and my association and affiliation with working people and their organizations should testify to my loyalty to ideals and principles.

I am married to the former Katherine Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Dunn of Hazel. We are the parents of two children, and I assure you that the difficulties and the problems of your children will also be my problems whenever I am called upon to be their guide and counselor.

It is my most earnest and sincere desire to see and talk personally to every person in the county between now and election time. One way or another I am determined to do so to solicit your support and your influence in this most important endeavor of my life.

I have always been a faithful Democrat and have worked to support my party on all occasions. This loyalty, I believe, is necessary of any man seeking the office of Sheriff of Calloway County.

My plans are to conduct my campaign in a gentlemanly manner with highest personal regards and respect to any and all of those who likewise seek this office. My personal life is an open book in which I know there have been some mistakes but on the whole in a manner in which my father and mother and my church has taught me to live, honorably, kindly and humble.

But it is not for me to say how well I have lived as it is for you to judge of me. I invite you who are not personally acquainted with me to ask my neighbors, inquire of my spiritual associates, talk to the fine men and women who have employed me, and discuss my abilities with those who are fellow members of my craft. I know of no better way to find out whether or not I would make you the kind of Sheriff you are entitled to have as your chief police officer.

With this as the beginning of my campaign, I humbly solicit your advice, your counsel, your suggestions, or anything you have to offer in a way that I might not also be victorious in this campaign but to also be a good sheriff, one which you would want to represent you for the next four years.

I urgently ask your support and confidence and I make you once again this solemn pledge that I will make you an honest, fearless, just, and honorable Sheriff.

Your Truly,

Woodrow Rickman

Women's Page

Jo Burkeen, Editor . . . Phone 694-M-4 or 763-J

Club News

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Music Department Hears Entertaining Program At Meeting

The Music Department of the Murray Woman's Club held its regular meeting at the club house on Tuesday, January 15, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. James Rudy Albritten was the leader for the very entertaining variety type program presented at the meeting.

Others appearing on the program were Mrs. C. C. Lowry, Mrs. Joe Dick, Mrs. John Waters, Mrs. Albert Tracy, Mrs. George Kimball, Mrs. John Winter, and Mrs. N. B. Ellis. Mrs. Bob Gass was the accompanist for the program.

Because the program will be presented at a later date to another group, the names of the numbers were not revealed.

Mrs. John Pasco, chairman of the department, presided at the meeting. Announcement was made of the Children's Concert and the Style Show, two of the events to be presented at a later date.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses who were Mrs. Richard Farrell, Mrs. Bob Gass, Mrs. David Gowans, Mrs. Robert O. Miller, Mrs. Bobbie Grogan, and Mrs. Elizabeth Thomson.

Dorcas Class Has Chili Supper At Electric Building

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church held a chili supper at the Murray Electric building on Tuesday, January 15, at six-thirty o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. Myrtle J. Wall, teacher of the class, gave a most inspiring devotion based on the poem "The Land of Beginning Again."

The vice-president, Mrs. Joe Pat Ward, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Fred Workman, who was ill. Games were played by the group.

Mrs. Alfred Young, and Mrs. B. C. Grogan's groups were in charge of the arrangements. Thirty-three members and one visitor, Mrs. Milburn Outland, were present.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ray W. Thompson, 570 West 39th Place, Hialeah, Florida, announce the birth of a son, Robert Christman, weighing six pounds six ounces, born on Thursday, January 10, Mrs. Thompson is the daughter of the late John Robert (Bob) Christman and Mrs. George F. Dick.

Chou in Moscow

THIS RADIOPHOTO shows Premier Chou En-lai, premier of Communist China, being greeted in Moscow by Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin (right). Chou flew to Russia for a series of secret discussions with Soviet leaders. (International)

Installation Of Officers Held At Meeting Of Murray Assembly Of Rainbow For Girls

Murray Assembly No. 18, Order of the Rainbow for Girls met at the Masonic Hall on Tuesday, January 15, at seven o'clock in the evening with Miss Wynne Jones, worthy advisor, presiding.

The following visitors were introduced: Mrs. Mildred Bell and Buel Stalls, worthy matron and patron respectively of Murray OES chapter; Miss Jeanette McNutt, grand nature; Miss Sammy Joyce Wilkerson, grand representative of Hawaii; Miss Mary Florence Churchill, grand representative of Michigan; Miss Mary Beth Furches, past grand fidelity; Miss McNutt and Miss Furches, past worthy advisors of Murray Assembly.

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The Hillmans are the parents of four children, three of which are living. They are Iverson Hillman of Alliance, Ohio; Mrs. Edgar Wilkinson of Murray; and Mrs. Otis Rogers of Wayne, Mich. They also have four grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Those attending the anniversary celebration were F. B. McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie McDaniel, Mrs. Eva Mai McDaniel, Mrs. Joe M. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilkinson, Mason Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Billington, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wilkinson, all of Murray.

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Social Calendar

Tuesday, January 22
The Lydian Class of the First Baptist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Hilda Street at seven o'clock. Group III will be in charge.

Murray Star chapter No. 433 Order of the Eastern Star will hold its regular meeting at the Masonic Hall at seven-thirty o'clock.

Thursday, January 24
The Paris Road Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Elmer Collins at one o'clock.

The Blood River Baptist Association WMU will meet at the First Baptist Church in Murray at ten o'clock.

Friday, January 25
The Coldwater Homemakers Club will meet with Mrs. Truman Turner at one o'clock.

NEW ONE-MAN HELICOPTER

HERE ARE TWO views of the U. S. Marine's new one-man helicopter, in action and collapsed, at Palo Alto, Calif. The XROE-1 is designed for easy transport or parachute drop, weighs less than 250 pounds, is powered by a Nelson four-cylinder opposed, two-cycle, air-cooled gasoline engine. (International Soundphoto)

Bunny Cottontail Out Of Prison

MADISON, Wis. — A "forged" signature of Gov. Walter Kohler got Bunny Cottontail a pardon from the state prison recently.

Warden John C. Burke told Gov. Kohler he found the phony pardon in the prison hospital granting full pardon to Bunny Cottontail, alias Hopalong, who was charged with vagrancy.

The prisoner was a baby rabbit which was found near death in a prison yard. Hospital attendants nursed it back to health.

The Magic Number

CAMDEN, N. J. — Three brothers who bumped into each other in the halls of Cooper Hospital's maternity ward, should find some significance to the number three from now on.

Within 12 hours after they met accidentally, their wives gave birth to three girls whose weights were within three pounds of each other.

Hospital authorities said the three couples, Mr. and Mrs. Allen J. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Fleming, and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fleming, had not known they would be at the hospital at the same time.

Jack Barry Ready To Quit TV

By WILLIAM EWALD
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK — Jack Barry, ready to quit the TV business only a few months ago, has drawn the role of giant-killer at NBC this season.

Last week, Barry's new quiz show, "Twenty One," was switched by NBC from a comfortable Wednesday night spot on the Monday slot opposite CBS-TV's "I Love Lucy," a time period conducive to the growing of ulcers.

"Well, I tell you, I almost died when they told me," said Barry today. "I was a little flattered, of course, but when reason took hold that sense of flattery gave way to apprehension."

"As nearly as I can determine, NBC has had 17 different shows opposite 'I Love Lucy.' The last one, 'Can Do,' was pulling a rating of around 7 to Lucy's 40."

Barry and NBC began to inhale easier after the first ratings were chalked up last week — "Twenty One" racked up a respectable 16.5 Trendex to Lucy's 37.8.

"Thought it Wonderful
For a first show, everybody thought it was wonderful," said Barry. "Even I didn't expect to do that well. I'm beginning to think now we may have the ingredients to really cut into Lucy's audience."

Barry suffered the loss of three TV shows in fairly rapid succession last season — "Juvenile Jury," and "Life Begins At 80," his own packages, were dropped. Barry also lost the emcee job on "The Big Surprise."

"I was ready to quit the business. I was really down," said Barry. "My partner, Dan Enright, and I decided to go in on a deal for the purchase of a radio station in Hollywood, Fla."

"But then within six weeks, we placed 'Tic Tac Dough,' a new quiz idea, on NBC in the daytime. Then right after that, we sold 'Twenty One.'"

"Funny thing is, we originally prepared 'Twenty One' for CBS. It was supposed to go as a Friday night show. But CBS turned it down."

"Twenty One," a giveaway version of the card game which pits contestants against each other, offers unlimited prize money. A current contestant, Charles Van Doren, has reached the \$99,000 mark.

Applicants Given Test
"We're not looking for real characters as contestants," said Barry. "We want attractive, personable people with wide general knowledge. We give applicants a 500-question test before we put them on."

"So far in the tests, we've found that school teachers score about the highest, so we've used several of them. Lawyers and newspapermen also do very well."

Barry is packager of the show as well as emcee, and therein lies the rub. "I'm on this thing from the very beginning and so I'm really emotionally involved. When Van Doren won \$52,000 on last week's show, I was really a nervous wreck. I couldn't get to sleep until three in the morning."

"Another thing is, these contestants are playing with my money. I guarantee the sponsor a certain budget and believe me, last week, Van Doren really went over it."

"It was a wonderful show, but after it was over, it suddenly occurred to me — my gosh, there goes my bank account."

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SILENT RIVER

By WAYNE ROBERTS

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CHAPTER 25

AFTER the Christmas dinner, Isabella Randall turned her chair toward the fire, then stooped and laid several chunks of cottonwood on the low flames. She said, "Let's sit here, Chad." For a moment Chad Endcott could not take his eyes from her. She stood facing him, a sad but lovely woman. Chad wondered, as he had many times since he had first seen her, why she had married Colonel Randall.

Chad placed his chair beside hers, a sudden warmth in his heart. He was afraid to stay here, afraid of himself. He heard the steady, gurgling sound of the Colonel's breathing in the next room.

"Tell me about your sweetheart, Chad," Isabella said.

So he told her about Elizabeth, about Christmas, a year ago, about their plans. As he talked, the waitress left him, for he was remembering things long forgotten, little things like the infection of Elizabeth's voice and the sound of her laughter.

When he stopped speaking, Isabella murmured, "She must be a wonderful girl." She brought her gaze to Chad's face. "Tell her you love her after you're married. Tell her over and over until you think she must be tired of hearing it, but she won't be. Believe me, Chad, she won't be."

She turned her head to stare at the fire. "I know the questions that are in your mind. You're too courteous to ask them, but I'll answer them anyway. I married the Colonel when I was sixteen. He was twice my age, but he was handsome and I loved him. Age was nothing to worry about. I met him in New Orleans, in fifty-six. The year Buchanan was elected President. There was talk about war even then, but we didn't take it seriously."

She shook her head. "I've lived with him a little over ten years. I know him, Chad. I know his vanity, his jealousy, his fits of temper, his need to be bolstered by me. I know all his weaknesses and his one great asset. You know it, too. His appearance. Dignity. A talent for impressing people. He's used it to get where he is."

Her hands were folded on her lap. "He drinks because he's afraid of failure. Afraid he'll do the wrong thing. We were in Washington from Bull Run to Appomattox. All that time he kept talking about getting into the field, but he never really wanted to. He didn't want to come up here. He had to appear brave by acting for this assignment, but he was surprised when he got it."

She threw out her hands in a gesture of futility. "On, I don't know, Chad. Maybe he did want to come here. Maybe he thought he could prove his courage to himself. And to all of you. But he never will."

She laid a hand on his arm. "Forgive me for talking the way I have, but sometimes I think I'm going crazy, cooped up this way inside the stockade. No one to talk to. The Colonel just sits and looks at me. 'Her fingers tightened on his arm. 'Chad, will you let me have a horse to go riding? Just a little way. I wouldn't go far.'"

"I'm sorry," he told her. "I couldn't. We don't know how many Indians are around, but they're watching us all the time."

"Please, Chad. I've just got to get outside the stockade."

"Ask the Colonel."

She shook her head. "I couldn't."

Chad rose. "I've got to go. Thank you for the dinner."

"Thank me with a horse. Please. It would mean so much to me."

"I'm sorry, I can't."

He took his overcoat down from a peg beside the door and put it on. Then he turned to Isabella. She was standing as if she were frozen, her eyes on her sea chest, her face filled with outrage.

He looked down at the chest, puzzled; then he saw the half-smoked cigar that lay on the lid. Reaching down, he lifted the cigar and threw it into the fireplace. There, on the smooth and shiny surface, was an ugly, charred scar. Randall must have left the cigar there before he sat down at the table. A little thing, but in Isabella's mind it was magnified until it must have seemed the end of everything. She whirled toward the fireplace, giving Chad her back.

He walked to her. The devil was in his eyes. He'd give Isabella a ride with her horse. He'd send an orderly to ride with her. Young Saunders could be depended on not to press himself upon her.

"I'll see that you get a horse in the morning," he said. "At nine."

He left the house, closing the door behind him.

Precisely at nine o'clock the next morning, Isabella Randall appeared at the stable. "You said to be here at nine," she told Chad, smiling at him.

"We've saddled a bay mare for you," Chad said. "She's not real, but she's a saddle horse, but she's a little thingy."

"I'm thankful to have even an

old plug to ride," she said. Saunders led the mare and a brown gelding, from the stable, and Chad helped Isabella into the saddle. He wanted to ask her if her husband knew she was going and decided against it.

"Don't go far," he said. "If anything happens, the Colonel will have my hide."

"Thank you, Chad," Isabella said. "It's a poor word, but I think you understand."

He watched them ride through the gate, Saunders stiff and awkward in the saddle, Isabella graceful and relaxed and making a startling contrast with the plodding, heavy-boned mare that she rode. Chad returned to his quarters, thinking he would have liked to take a ride with Isabella. That he told himself, would fix everything with Randall.

He had just finished cleaning his revolver when Zack Cullyberry came in without knocking. "Howdy, Lieutenant," he said as he sprawled on Chad's bunk. "Git-in' ready for war?"

"Just getting ready, in case of war."

"You'd best be ready," Zack grunted, "cause you're shore hankerin' after trouble."

"What have I done now?"

"Less'n my eyes went back on me, I seen Mrs. Randall and young Saunders high-tailin' it out'n the place on hossback. Don't reckon you know nuthin' 'bout that?"

Deliberately Chad put the gun down. "Yes, I know something about it. Mrs. Randall insisted that I give her a horse. She said she was going crazy, cooped up inside the fort like she's been."

"Jest what'd the Cunnel say about her gallivantin' around?"

"He doesn't know about it."

"Don't know about it?" Zack shouted. "What kind of fool talk you givin' me? Supposin' she gets picked up by a Sioux hunter-party?"

Chad struck the table with his fist. "We don't have many Indians around. You told me yourself."

Zack sat up. He shouted, "I can't seem to bang it into nobody's head that we don't know how many Indians are around here. I don't see 'em and you don't see 'em, but that don't prove Cut Lip's whole hand ain't jest over the hill."

He was more upset than Chad had seen him for a long time. Chad stared at his revolver, knowing he had made a terrible mistake.

The Colonel's Lady is due to get an unexpected ship the fore Read Chad tomorrow.

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Tight...

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governments will borrow up to two-thirds of their planned outlay.

This huge spending spree is the basic reason why money is tight, why you have to pay more for everything. Actually, more and more credit is being poured into the economy but it was outstripped by demand.

As one economist put it: "There are only so many bricklayers, carpenters and engineers in our economy. Only so many tons of steel, bags of cement and pounds of nail. We cannot build homes, factories, schools, hospitals, sewer systems, shopping centers and office buildings with paper money. It takes materials and men."

Production behind Demand. There lies the danger—that production falls so far behind not only demand but the artificial credit that the purchasing powers of currency will fall dangerously.

The purchasing power of the dollar has been almost halved by inflation since 1939. Even so, our living standards have increased because wages have more than doubled.

One of the chief opponents of the tight money policy is Rep. Wright Patman of Texas. He be-

lieves there is danger it may wreck the economy.

"We must make sure that such credit resources as are available are flowing to the right spots," he said, "and that efforts, however justifiable in restraint of threatened inflation, do not lead over the hump into a period of deflation which may be even more difficult to deal with."

Ray D. Murphy, chairman of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, does not agree. He says the fact that money is tight simply means that we have been trying to expand our consumption, our productive facilities and government services faster than our capacities for doing so permit.

"People have become accustomed to low interest rates for so long that they are taken for granted and are assumed to be normal," he says. "People seem to forget that for 20 years interest rates were deliberately kept at artificially low levels by pumping extra money into the credit system."

At the root of the tight money problem, economists say, is the fact that savings have not kept pace with the nation's mounting credit requirements. August 1946, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, terms that the greatest single threat to our prosperity.

Top Humor Collected Into Book

By GAY PAULEY

United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK — Well, girls, for at least a century they've been laughing about our clothes and our pursuit of men. In that order.

A hundred years from now they'll still be laughing. About the same things, and probably in the same order.

So says Florett Robinson, co-author of a compilation of cartoons concerning what she and her cohort, William Cole, understand to be "America's most controversial figure"—the American woman.

Authors Robinson and Cole call their work, "Women Are Wonderful." It contains 400 cartoons from America's top humor artists through the last 100 years.

These include Charles Dana Gibson, John Held, Jr., James Thur-

ber, H. T. Webster, Cobean, William Steig, Peter Arno, Abner Dean and Helen Hokinson. Miss Robinson, in an interview, explained that only the last century was included because it was during this period that America's humor magazines thrived.

The things about us women that make men laugh at us — and us laugh at ourselves — have changed little, she said. But the cartoonists' approach is gentler today. Some of the early drawings were vicious, she said. Fashion, she said, always had been the cartoonists' richest vein "because clothes are something in which every woman is involved." One hundred years ago, it was the hoop skirt being ridiculed. Then, the bustle. Then the hoop skirt again. "A century hence it may be the space suit," said Miss Robinson.

Hats, she added, always will be good for laughs.

The pursuit of man rates high because like clothes, the chase is pretty universal.

Miss Robinson, now a pictorial researcher for Scribner's, said she became interested in cartoons about women when doing some historical research for a

men. Suggested title (from an embittered female), "Men Are Stinkier."

Recently, she and Cole, who is with Alfred A. Knopf Publishing Co., combined their efforts on the publication. Now their friends are urging a sequel on



Above, Felicia Farr and Richard Widmark in a scene from "The Last Wagon," which starts tomorrow at the Varsity Theatre for a two-day engagement.

TUESDAY — JANUARY 22, 1957

First off, there are more men cartoonists. At one time, men considered women inferior and perfect targets for their sniping. Women always have been decorative material for the artist. "And," she said, "women can take the ribbing. A woman is a little more accustomed to having her ego punctured."

"She repairs it with a new hat. Man has to regain his with a promotion, or a conquest!"

She has reached no conclusion about which sex has a better sense of humor other than that "it depends on the individual."

But she has found some things women can't laugh about. Other things men never consider funny. "Women always take home 'and family seriously,'" she said. "And did you ever see a man who thought baldness was funny?"

THIEF STEALS DOOR

DETROIT — Charles Trimiew, 33, heard a noise at his side door and went to investigate but found the door gone. He told police he saw a man running down the alley with the door but was unable to catch

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THE YOUNGEST AND OLDEST members of Congress have a chat in Washington as the 85th session swings into high gear. Left, Rep. John Dingell, Jr., 30, Detroit, who is serving his second term. He succeeded his father, Rep. John Dingell, Sr., who died in 1946. Right, Sen. Theodore Green, 89, Rhode Island, fourth term. Both Democrats. (International)

Cedar Lane News

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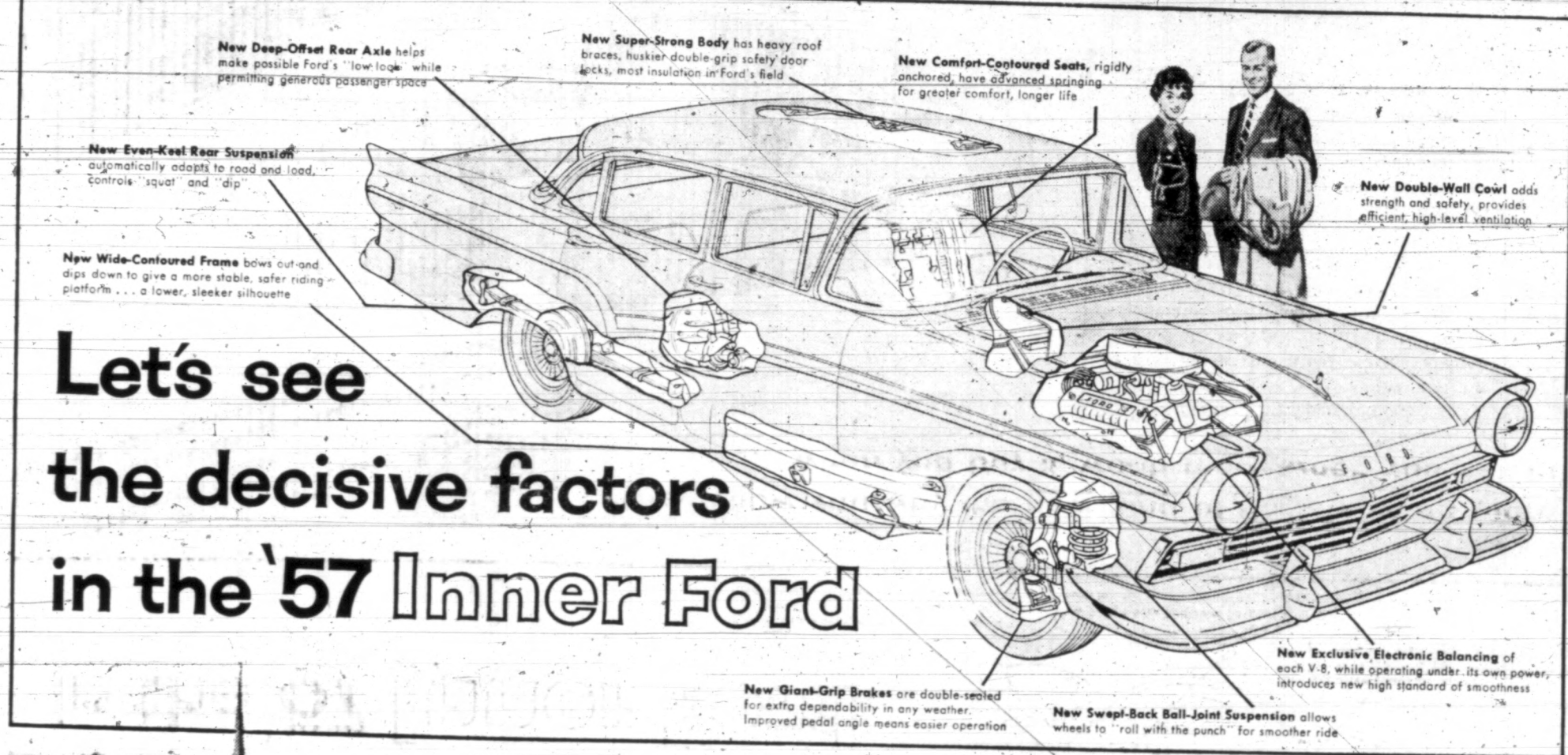
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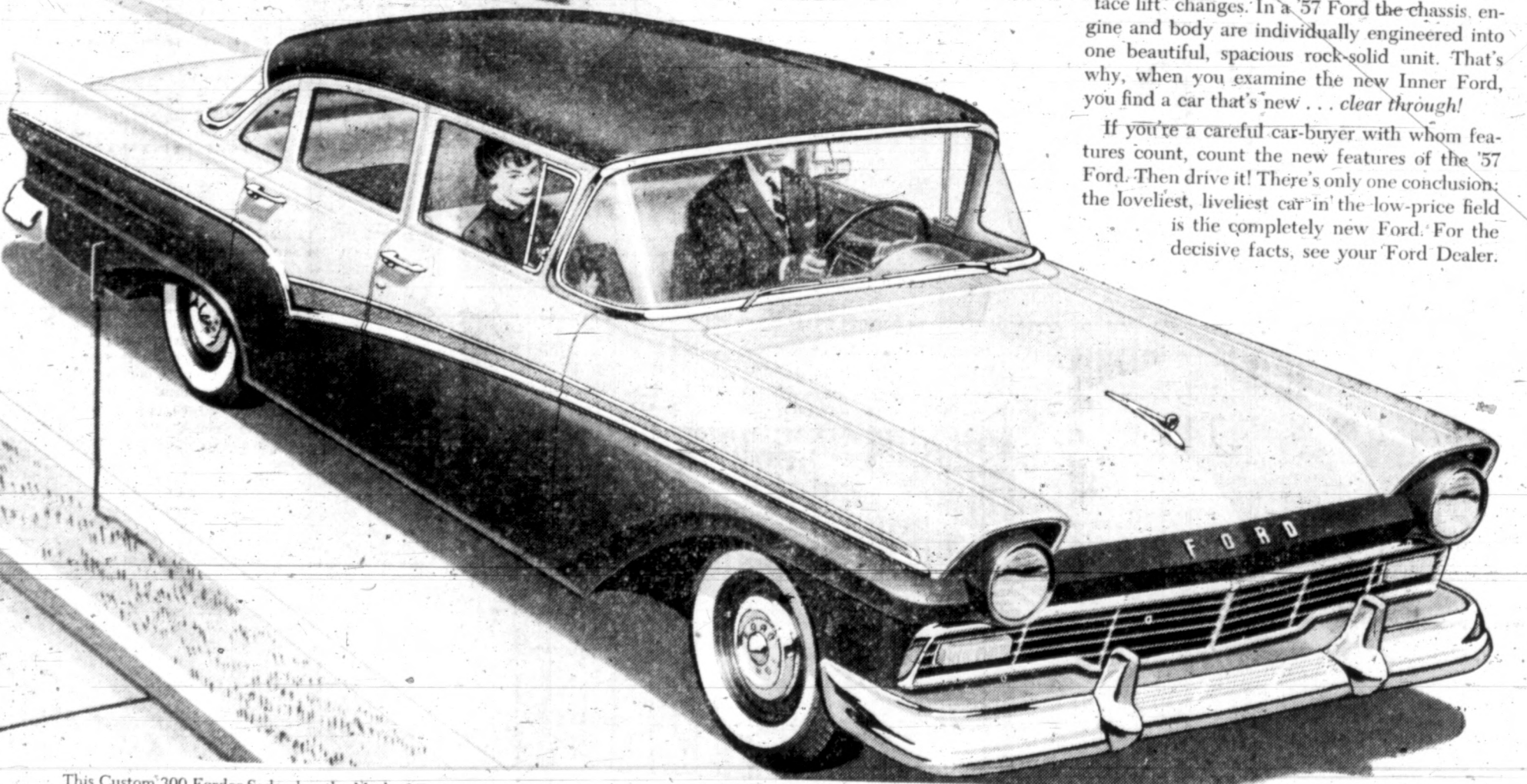
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